

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

Listing of Claims:

Claims 1-10 (canceled)

Claim 11 (currently amended) ~~The tire of claim 11 further comprising:~~ A tire having a core substantially filled with a mixture of core bits and a virgin polyurethane, an outer casing, an exposed rim, and a valve fixed to said rim.

Claim 12 (previously presented) The tire of claim 11 wherein said valve has an opening, said core bits being sized to permit passage through said opening.

Claims 13-27 (canceled)